Please amend the present application as follows:

Claims

The following is a copy of Applicant's claims that identifies language being added with underlining ("___") and language being deleted with strikethrough ("——"), as is applicable:

1-13. (Canceled)

14. (Previously presented) A method for facilitating display of a graphic on an electrical device, comprising:

receiving with an electrical device that is one of a printer, photocopier, a facsimile machine, a multifunction peripheral, and a network appliance graphical data sent to the electrical device from a host computer, the graphical data representing a graphic having been selected by a user with the host computer only for the purpose of repeated display during a given state of the electrical device;

receiving with the electrical device an indication from the host computer as to what electrical device state the selected graphic is to be displayed in a control panel display of the electrical device; and

displaying the selected graphic in the electrical device control panel display each time the electrical device state occurs.

15.   (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein receiving graphical data comprises receiving the graphical data along with a print job comprising separate data to be printed by the electrical device, such that data only to be displayed and data only to be printed are transmitted together to the electrical device.

16.   (Canceled)

17.   (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the electrical device state comprises at least one of an initiation state, a ready state, an operating state, and a power save state.

18.   (Original) The method of claim 14, wherein the graphical data comprises two or more frames that can be displayed in sequence to provide an animation.

19.   (Previously presented) A device display application that executes on an electrical device for facilitating display of a graphic on the electrical device, the application comprising:

means provided on the electrical device that is one of a printer, a photocopier, a facsimile machine, a multifunction peripheral, and a network appliance for receiving graphical data that has been selected by the user from a computing device the graphical data representing a selected graphic whose purpose is for repeated display during a given state of the electrical device;

means provided on the electrical device for receiving an indication as to what electrical device state the selected graphic is to be displayed; and

means provided on the electrical device for displaying the selected graphic in a control panel display of the electrical device each time the electrical device state occurs.

20.   (Previously presented) The application of claim 19, wherein the means for receiving graphical data comprises means for receiving the graphical data along with a print job comprising separate data to be printed by the electrical device, such that data only to be displayed and data only to be printed are transmitted together to the electrical device.

21-27. (Canceled)

28.   (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein displaying the graphic in a device control panel comprises displaying the graphic in a printing device control panel.

29.   (Previously presented) The method of claim 28, wherein displaying the graphic in a printing device control panel comprises displaying the graphic in a printer control panel.

30-38. (Canceled)

39.   (Previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the graphic is displayed on the electrical device as part of a graphical user interface of the device instead of as a preview of what is to be printed.

40.   (Canceled)